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SUBJ: ZIMBABWEAN ANC REPS VISIT GABON

REF: LIBREVILLE 0746

BISHOP ABEL MUZOREWA SENT A MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT OMAR BONGO VIA TWO ANC EMISSARIES WHO ARRIVED LIBREVILLE JUNE 27. THE ANC DELEGATION, IDENTIFIED IN LOCAL PRESS AS G.B. NYANDORO, SECRETARY FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS, AND DAVID MUKOMA, CHIEF OF INFORMATION AND PROPAGANDA, WERE RECEIVED BY FOREIGN MINISTER MARTIN BONGO TO WHOM THEY EXPLAINED ANC PARTICIPATION IN INTERIM GOVERNMENT. THIS WAS DECIDED UPON, THEY ARE REPORTED TO HAVE SAID, ONLY AFTER IAN SMITH'S ACCEPTANCE OF THE PRINCIPLE OF ONE MAN ONE VOTE IN FREE ELECTIONS LEADING TO INDEPENDENCE PRIOR JANUARY 31, 1978. MARTIN BONGO REPEATED GABONESE HOPE REPORTED REFTEL THAT AFRICAN STATES WOULD NOT TOTALLY EXCLUDE THE INTERNAL SETTLEMENT PARTNERS IN FAVOR OF THE PATRIOTIC FRONT. TIENKEN

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